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Preliminary Amendment

Applicant hereby transmits three sheets of informal drawings specifically described in the written specification of the above-identified application. While the Applicant believes that these figures were included with the above-identified application as filed on October 27, 2000, the Applicant supplies these drawings to make certain that the Examiner considers these drawings

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with the written specification. No new matter is set forth in these drawings because the first two figures depict prior art systems already described, in detail, in the written specification (See Background and Detailed Description Sections), and Figure 3 depicts a block diagram of a telecommunication system that is already described, in detail, in the written specification at pages 15 through 17.

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